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SUBJECT: NATIONALIZATION OF PETROLEUM DISTRIBUTION COMPANIES

REF: TRIPOLI 1560

1. Request you forward soonest text of LARG nationalization decree and text of any other pertinent LARG statements, including those appearing in press.
2. We also would appreciate any indications you may receive of actions EMG or Italians may plan to take in circumstances.
3. Inasmuch as USG-LARG negotiations scheduled for tomorrow (July 6), suggest you raise with Jalund or head of LARG delegation fact that USG has noted the action taken by the LARG in its decree of July 4 and express your hope that the interests of any American owners that may be affected by this action will be fully recognized. FYI: We suggest this formulation so as not to foreclose any possible further USG positions on this subject. END FYI.

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4. You may wish to consult 10 FAM 988-988.4 rpt 10 FAM 988-988.4
for general guidance on this subject.

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